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PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: Wheel-balancing device and wheel equipped with such a balance device

Preliminary Amendment

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Sir:

Please enter the following Preliminary Amendment to the above identified application to eliminate improper multiple dependent claims.

In the Claims

Please amend Claims 6-19 and 23-28 (modified Claims 6-19 and 23-28 as set forth on replacement pages 14-16 attached to the accompanying application), as follows:

Claim 6, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to 5" and insert ---- claim 1

Claim 7, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to 5" and insert ---- claim 1

Claim 8, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to 5" and insert ---- claim 1

Claim 9, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to 8" and insert ---- claim 1

Claim 10, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to 9" and insert ---- claim 1
